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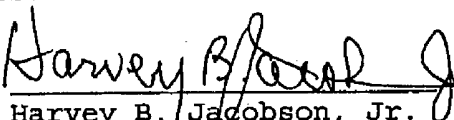
The foregoing amendments are made for clarification and to slightly reduce the claims for examination. No new matter has been added. It would be evident to one skilled in the art that the present invention is directed to chemical ion exchange reactions and not electrolytic reactions, such as would take place in an electrolytic reactor.

Applicants now await examination on the merits of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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